HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 663 By Hargett

A RESOLUTION to honor Jessica Moore on being named an Outstanding Young Woman of Memphis and Shelby County.

WHEREAS, it is fitting for the members of this General Assembly to pause in their deliberations to salute those young citizens who, through their remarkable efforts, have distinguished themselves as emerging community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, Jessica Moore, an energetic and respected young woman who is a junior at Bolton High School, has achieved recognition for her many outstanding achievements through her designation as an Outstanding Young Woman of Memphis and Shelby County by *Memphis Woman* magazine; and

WHEREAS, a highly intelligent and resourceful young lady, Ms. Moore has earned this prestigious honor, in part, because of her exemplary service with Wider Opportunity in Girl Scouts, where she works with children who have disabilities; and

WHEREAS, in addition, she has generously given of her time and talents to Mid-South ARC, Habitat for Humanity, the Thanksgiving Meal for the Homeless, and Camp Challenge, among a host of other organizations; and

WHEREAS, as a junior at Bolton High School, Ms. Moore takes honors classes and is involved in a number of worthy activities; she is a valuable member of the Key Club, the Beta Club, the Future Teachers of America, the Band, and the Choir; and

WHEREAS, her many achievements were noted in the April 2003 issue of *Memphis Woman*; and

WHEREAS, Jessica's good works in service of her fellow human beings are surely a source of great pride for her parents, Richard and Debra Moore; and

WHEREAS, Jessica Moore epitomizes the spirit and commitment that are characteristic of a true Tennessean, as she takes her rightful place among the many noble citizens who have earned this State its nickname, "The Volunteer State"; and

WHEREAS, the future of the State of Tennessee, the strength of our communities, and the overall vitality of American society depend, in great measure, upon the dedication of young people like Ms. Moore, who use their considerable talents and resources to serve their fellow citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and congratulate Jessica Moore on being named an Outstanding Young Woman of Memphis and Shelby County by *Memphis Woman* magazine, salute her dedication and resolve, and wish her much continued success in her every future endeavor.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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